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118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

To amend the DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 2000 to reauthorize the Debbie Smith DNA Backlog Grant Program, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. WAGNER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Debbie Smith Act of
5 2023”.

6 **SEC. 2. REAUTHORIZATION.**

7 Section 2(j) of the DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 2000 (34 U.S.C. 40701(j)) is amended by
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1 striking “fiscal years 2019 through 2024” and inserting
2 “fiscal years 2024 through 2029”.

3 **SEC. 3. AUDITS TO PROTECT INTEGRITY OF GRANT**
4 **AWARDS.**

5 Section 2(c)(4) of the DNA Analysis Backlog Elimina-
6 tion Act of 2000 (34 U.S.C. 40701(c)(4)) is amended
7 by striking “2022” and inserting “2029”.